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PATENT**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title: **FASTER DISCRETE COSINE TRANSFORMS USING SCALED TERMS**

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 15, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified patent application in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS

The Office Action dated January 15, 2003, has been fully considered. Claims 1-49 are pending in this application.

In paragraph 1 on page 2 of the Office Action, claims 1-11 and 36-49 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being clearly anticipated by U.S. Patent 5,854,757 issued to Dierke. The Office Action stated that Dierke discloses the invention as recited in claims 1-11 and 36-49.